

DISTRIBUTION OF FERTILISERS

456. SRI H. D. DEVE GowDA (Holenarasipur).—Will the Minister for Agriculture and Animal Husbandry be pleased to state.—

(a) the quantity of fertiliser received in the State during the years 1972-73 and 1973-74 (Categorywise) pool and non-pool fertilisers :

(b) the quantity of fertiliser distributed (District-wise) :

(c) the quantity of fertiliser distributed through private dealers and co-operatives (Districtwise) :

(d) the quantity of non-pool fertilisers allowed to be distributed through private dealers by the District Fertiliser Committees (Districtwise) :

SRI V. CHIKKE GowDA.—(Minister for Agriculture and Animal Husbandry).—

(a) Statement (A) placed on the table of the House *

(b) Statement (B) and (B-1) placed on the Table of the House. *

(c) Statement (C) and (C-1) placed on the Table of the House. *

(d) Statement (D) placed on the Table of the House. *

REQUIREMENT OF CHEMICAL FERTILISERS

505. SRI B. SATHYANARAYANA SINGH (Hospet).—Will the Minister for Agriculture and Animal Husbandry be pleased to state—

(a) the total requirement of chemical fertilisers for the entire State for this year; the quantity allotted so far by the Government of India to the State with detailed break-up figures ;

(b) the quantity of chemical fertilisers allotted to each District for each month commencing from January, 1973 and the basis on which this allotment was made ;

(c) whether due to the non-supply and non-use of sufficient fertilisers the yield per acre of the crops is going down.

(d) whether additional allotments have been made to some districts due to political pressure ;

(e) whether direct allotments have been made by the Minister for Agriculture by-passing the District Fertiliser Committees ;

(f) what factors are taken into consideration while making allotment of fertilisers to each district :

* All the four Statements are placed in the Karnataka Legislative Library vide No. 20 1st April 1974.